

GROUP.....TIME:1.30h

Complete the article about Dennis Tito. Use the verbs in the box. (3.5 MARKS)

became began came decided got left needed
 said saw started didn't stay studied was ✓ went

40-year-old dream comes true



Dennis Tito was¹ the son of Italian parents who _____² Italy to live in the USA. His interest in space travel _____³ in 1961 when he _____⁴ a satellite in the sky. He _____⁵ aerospace engineering at university, then he _____⁶ a job with NASA. But he _____⁷ in that job. He _____⁸ his own company and at the age of 40 he _____⁹ a millionaire. After a Japanese journalist and a British scientist _____¹⁰ into space with the Russians he _____¹¹ to offer \$20 million to do the same. The Russians _____¹² the money for their space programme and _____¹³ 'Yes'. For Tito, a 40-year-old dream _____¹⁴ true.

ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS IN YOUR OWN WORDS 2 marks

1. Who is Denis Tito?.....
2. When was he interested in space travel?.....
3. Who did he start work with?.....
4. how much did he pay to go into space?.....

ARE THESE STATEMENTS TRUE OR FALSE? JUSTIFY YOUR ANSWER 3marks

1. Russians offered 20 million US dollars to travel into space.....
2. he moved to Italy to study aerospace engineering.....
3. he went into space with Japanese journalist and British scientist.....

